

# SAMLE RISK RATING GRIDS

IMPACT	High	Medium	High	High
	Medium	Low	Medium	High
	Low	Low	Low	Medium
		Low	Medium	High
		LIKELIHOOD		

IMPACT	High	Medium	Medium High	High
	Medium	Medium Low	Medium	Medium High
	Low	Low	Medium Low	Medium
		Low	Medium	High
		LIKELIHOOD		

S e v e r i t y	Catastrophic	5	5	10	15	20	25
	Significant	4	4	8	12	16	20
	Moderate	3	3	6	9	12	15
	Low	2	2	4	6	8	10
	Negligible	1	1	2	3	4	5
			1	2	3	4	5
			Improbable	Remote	Occasional	Probable	Frequent
			Likelihood				

- Catastrophic ■ STOP
- Unacceptable ■ URGENT ACTION
- Undesirable ■ ACTION
- Acceptable ■ MONITOR
- Desirable ■ NO ACTION

**Risk Rating = Likelihood x Severity**

Source: [www.greenprojectmanagement.com](http://www.greenprojectmanagement.com)

		Impact →				
		Negligible	Minor	Moderate	Significant	Severe
Likelihood ↑	Very Likely	Low Med	Medium	Med Hi	High	High
	Likely	Low	Low Med	Medium	Med Hi	High
	Possible	Low	Low Med	Medium	Med Hi	Med Hi
	Unlikely	Low	Low Med	Low Med	Medium	Med Hi
	Very Unlikely	Low	Low	Low Med	Medium	Medium

Source: [www.casualcapital.com](http://www.casualcapital.com)

Potential Impact	Extreme	5	10	15	20	25
	High	4	8	12	16	20
	Medium	3	6	9	12	15
	Low	2	4	6	8	10
	Negligible	1	2	3	4	5
		Remote	Unlikely	Possible	Likely	Probable
		Likelihood →				
% ranges		0-10%	>10-25%	>25-50%	>50-90%	>90-100%

Percent of chance that the risk will happen during the course of the event (days/weeks) or program (months/ year)

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